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Date : September 10, 2002
TO : Director, Office of Patent Publication
FROM : Office of the Deputy Commissioner
for Patent Examination Policy
SUBJECT : Withdrawal from Issue of **Application No. 09/642,183**

Applicant(s) : Ramon Alfredo Carvalho Siochi
Application No. : 09/642,183
Filed : August 17, 2000

The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 6,456,686 and an issue date of September 24, 2002.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant. Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of September 24, 2002:

"All reference to Patent No. 6,456,686 to Ramon Alfredo Carvalho Siochi of North Carolina for HIGH DEFINITION CONFORMAL ARC RADIATION THERAPY WITH A MULTI-LEAF COLLIMATOR appearing in the Official Gazette of September 24, 2002 should be deleted since no patent was granted."

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This is a decision on the petition, filed September 5, 2002, under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(3), which is being treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2) to withdraw the above-identified application from issue after payment of the issue fee.


The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application is withdrawn from issue for consideration of a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (request for continued examination). See 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2).

Petitioner is advised that the issue fee paid on August 12, 2002 in the above-identified application cannot be refunded. If, however, the above-identified application is again allowed, petitioner may request that it be applied towards the issue fee required by the new Notice of Allowance.¹

Telephone inquiries should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 305-8680.

Upon receipt of the file in the Office of Petitions, the file will be forwarded to Technology Center AU 2882 for processing of the request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 and for consideration of the concurrently filed Information Disclosure Statement.


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¹ The request to apply the issue fee to the new Notice must be made in writing and should be accompanied by the new Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85(b), along with a copy of this decision. Additionally, if the issue fee has increased from the previously paid issue fee, the balance due must be submitted. **Failure to timely request in writing that the previously paid issue fee be applied towards the new Notice and payment of any balance due will result in the abandonment of the application.**

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W/D from Issue of Application No. 09/642,183 (PN 6,456,686--Issue Date: 9/24/02)



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